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6. (amended) The method of claim 1, wherein said transplanting is effected in association with angiogenesis factors.

Please cancel claims 7-13 and 17.

REMARKS

Applicants have amended the claims to conform to U.S. practice and to eliminate multiple dependencies. Favorable consideration and allowance of claims 1-6 and 13-16 as presently amended is respectfully requested.

Should there be any additional fees required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0785.

Respectfully submitted,

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- 5. (amended) The method of claim[s] 1 [to 4], wherein said transplanting is effected in the myocardium *in situ*, in the myocardium artery or using a catheter from within the myocardium.
- 6. (amended) The method of claim[s] 1 [to 4], wherein said transplanting is effected in association with angiogenesis factors.